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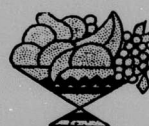
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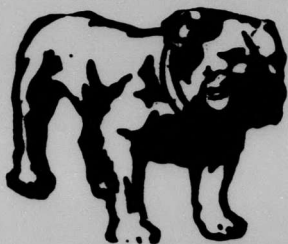
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## TAFT'S SUCCESSOR

By Chester M. Wright.

A Chief Justice has resigned. A Chief Justice has been appointed. William Howard Taft is through as a figure in American public life. Charles Evans Hughes goes to the highest judicial post in the nation.

It is all very important to those who toil.

\* \* \*

William Howard Taft was usually the leader of the majority in the Supreme Court, evidently discarding that lassitude which made him so easy-going as President.

The opinions that came ringing down from the high bench in defense of human freedom, in defense of labor's right to function as an organized movement, were almost never joined in by the Chief Justice.

Usually the names signed to those were "Holmes, Brandeis and Stone." Not always Stone, but frequently.

Those three names got so they had a rhythm, coming regularly, musically, in tones almost always true.

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Now will it be the same "Holmes, Brandeis and Stone" against Hughes and the field? Or will Hughes now and then dissent as these three did in the recent Baltimore traction case and by so doing turn mere dissent into controlling opinion and law?

Hughes has long been in public life, and he has a record, which may or may not mean something.

He headed the New York insurance investigation of earlier fame. He did some fine things as Secretary of State. He has served big corporations as their lawyer. From hither whence? Or whither hence?

\* \* \*

The Taft on the Supreme Bench was not the Taft of the War Labor Board. The Supreme Court Bench, loaded with a more colossal responsibility than weighs down on any other tribunal in the world, changes men. That it can entirely root out a conservative man and sometimes corporate background may well be termed open to doubt.

It is too bad a man of the forward view could not have been named; and yet who knows what may come from the brain and thought of the Hughes who stood like a rock against soviet plotting in the United States?

If Hughes had his close business relations with great corporate wealth, so he had other relations.

There was cordiality and liking in his voice when he used to greet Samuel Gompers—and often a meeting of minds.

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Folks talk both ways about Charles Evans Hughes. So they did about Taft, the Taft that used to smile so infectiously and is now so wan and weak and worn; the Taft who signed some of the most damaging decisions crippling labor unions.

The great wheel turns and new grist pours forth.

What shall we see? We can only wait and see.

### NEW UNION RAISES WAGE.

The Sign Writers' Union of Vancouver, B. C., organized last year, secured a union shop agreement and raised wages 10 per cent, beginning April 1st.

### ENFORCING "SLAVE" CONTRACT.

(By International Labor News Service.)

Two weeks ago the "yellow dog" contract imposed on Kraemer hosiery workers of Nazareth, Pa., was upheld by the president judge of this county in an amazing decision which goes farther than any other yet handed down in this country. The Nazareth strike committee has now obtained a copy of the new employment contract which the Kraemer mill is forcing on all its "green" help, largely recruited from the rural districts. Most of these workers are adults and many of them heads of families. This contract, which is used in addition to the "yellow dog" document, covers a four-year term and provides that wages shall start at \$10 a week, to be increased each six months until the worker is getting \$40 a week.

The employee agrees that if he quits the Kraemer Company he will not take any kind of a job in the full fashioned industry or for a firm making full fashioned hosiery within a radius of a hundred miles from Nazareth. More than 70 per cent of all the hosiery made in this country is probably made within these geographical limits and consequently the poor sucker without knowing it practically agrees to lose anything he might learn in the Kraemer mill if he should get fired or have to leave the job.

In the Kraemer contract it is expressly stated that every wage raise over \$10 a week "is purely voluntary and such additional remuneration on salary may be reduced, modified or taken away at the leisure and will of the employer without any right therein or thereto in the employee to receive a continuance of same." Seldom has the absolute

power of the employer to dictate terms been more frankly or brutally stated.

No stipulation is made in the contract about the hours the employee is to work for the sum of \$10, but it is provided that the knitter must run two machines for the same wages if ordered to do so. Farther than all this, the signator actually agrees that the courts have the right to issue an injunction against him, in addition to other legal action that may be entered into, restraining the employee from violating or attempting to violate this contract.

The Kraemer strike committee is having thousands of copies of this contract printed and circulated in Eastern Pennsylvania in the hope of educating the people of that state as to what employers are really seeking to accomplish when they impose "yellow dogs" and injunctions on their workers.

### O. K. POLITICAL LEAGUE.

The Central Labor Council of Portland, Ore., approved the formation of a separate organization to handle political affairs of organized labor. The plan was proposed by Ben Osborne, secretary of the State Federation of Labor, who points out that unions are often engaged with industrial issues and that a unified political program is impossible.

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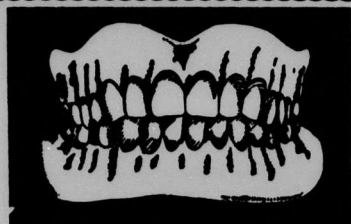
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# TRADE UNION PROMOTINNAL LEAGUE. Official Minutes of the Meeting Held February 5, 1930.

The Trade Union Promotional League met February 5, 1930, in Mechanics' Hall, Labor Temple.

The meeting was called by President A. V. Williams at 8 p. m. and on roll call all officers were present.

Minutes of meeting held January 15th were approved as read.

**Credentials**—From Bill Posters No. 44 for W. J. Atrip and E. Silacci. Cooks' Union No. 44 for B. F. Dodge vice B. Schiff. Garment Workers' Union No. 131 for Nellie Casey and Delia Gordon. Bookbinders' and Bindery Women's Union Nos. 31-125 for Mabel Ritter and Henry Kerbaugh. Teamsters' Union No. 85 for Ray Moran. Credentials received and delegates seated.

**Communications**—From Ladies' Auxiliary of the League, minutes read and filed. Building Trades Council, minutes noted and filed. Tobacco Workers' Union of Louisville, Ky., requesting patronage of the Clown and Spud cigarettes, filed. R. A. French Shoe Co., stating that he carries a 100 per

cent stock of union-made shoes. This store is located at 2611 Mission street. Bills, read and referred to the trustees. Same ordered paid.

**Committee Reports**—Committee on Conference for Educational Trades Union Action reports that the general committee met on January 25th and will meet again February 8th; also reports progress.

**Secretary's Report**—That he had circularized the Fire Department on union-made uniforms, caps and shirts. That he had a conference with Mr. Levy, purchasing agent for the city, on overall, coverall and shirts. That he received material from the Women's Bureau, Department of Labor, for use in the work of the League. This and other reports were concurred in.

**Reports of Unions**—Hatters report business slow and request a better demand for their union label. Garment Workers say they are only working part time and hope it will pick up. Look for their label when buying ready-to-wear suits, overalls, pants and shirts. Bookbinders report it is slow with little extra work. Cooks, Bill Posters, Miscellaneous Employees, Sign Painters, Cutters, Waiters, Millmen, Operating Engineers No. 64 and No. 59, Molders, Stereotypers, Elevator Constructors, Steam Fitters, Grocery Clerks and Office Employees all report business not so good, with here and there a little improvement. Cigarmakers state while it is quiet with them it is very quiet with the non-union shops. Cracker Bakers report that the Seattle, Wash., firm called the S. F. Biscuit Co., is putting inferior goods at a reduced price on the market here. Patronize local firms, they are union. Ladies' Auxiliary report they are doing good work and request all delegates and visitors to join them in the banquet room where refreshments will be served.

**New Business**—Installation of Officers—Delegate W. N. Mappin of Typographical Union, was called on to give the obligation. The following are the officers for the coming term: President, A. V. Williams; vice-president, C. H. Parker; secretary, W. G. Desepte; secretary-treasurer, Geo. J. Plato; sergeant-at-arms, Jos. Boyce.

**Receipts and Bills**—Laid over to next meeting.

**Good and Welfare**—Under this head the meeting adjourned at 8:45 p. m., in order to partake of the refreshments served by the Ladies' Auxiliary in the banquet room. This consisted of very fine coffee and deliciously made sandwiches. Two moving pictures were shown and speeches were made by Sisters Sarah S. Hagan, Mrs. Gerhart and Mrs. Desepte and by Brothers Theo. Johnson, Paul Clinch and W. G. Desepte, with A. V. Williams as toastmaster. The affair was acclaimed by all as a successful and enjoyable gathering.

The League will meet again Wednesday, February 19th.

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Faternally submitted,  
W. G. DESEPTE, Secretary.

## JOHN N. PARSONS DEAD.

John N. Parsons, president of the National Association of Letter Carriers from 1896 to 1901, has died in New York City. He was 73. During the days when postal workers met secretly, Parsons was active in the Knights of Labor and served as

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Campaign Chairman Leland W. Cutler, in announcing the campaign goal, explained that while only \$15,000 in excess of what was asked for last year to finance the maintenance expenses of the member agencies, very much more might be used in improving and extending the services of many of the institutions.

"This amount," said Cutler, "is the minimum that is actually necessary to enable the welfare and social service agencies to care for existing needs, taking the demands made upon the agencies during 1929 as a basis for reckoning."

Chairman Cutler added: "I am very much gratified that we will not have to ask the public for but little more than was required by the Chest agencies last year. This condition is made possible by business-like, systematic administrative methods laid down for the guidance of agencies by our very efficient budget committee.

"For months our budget committee, and its subsidiary budget study committees, have devoted time and attention necessary to arrive at the actual amount that is required to finance the local welfare program. Books of agencies are audited and the public may feel entirely protected against mismanagement or waste.

"There is every reason to be hopeful of a successful campaign this year. These hopes are based on the splendid spirit of co-operation evident at every hand. Our preliminary work is well in hand; in fact, it is advanced to a point ahead of the

schedule; our team organization is rapidly nearing completion. One hundred and twenty-seven thousand public-spirited, generous citizens subscribed to the Community Chest fund last year—let's make it unanimous this year."

**MINUTES OF THE LADIES' AUXILIARY.**

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Trades Union Promotional League held their meeting February 5th in the small banquet room at the Labor Temple, 16th and Capp streets.

Meeting called to order by the president, Mrs. W. G. Desepte, at 8:15 p. m.

Roll call, all officers present.

Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

Communications read and filed.

Bills ordered paid.

Reports of committees good.

Newly-elected officers given the obligation by Mr. T. Johnson.

Unfinished business none.

New business none.

Good of the Auxiliary—Several members reported going to several stores and asking for the card and button and not getting it, walking out, without getting what they wanted.

The ladies had prepared a very nice lunch with sandwiches and coffee which were served after the meeting. The delegates and wives and visitors from the Trades Union Promotional League joined us with speaking and entertainment. A picture was shown by Mr. Desepte and Mr. Burton and was enjoyed by all.

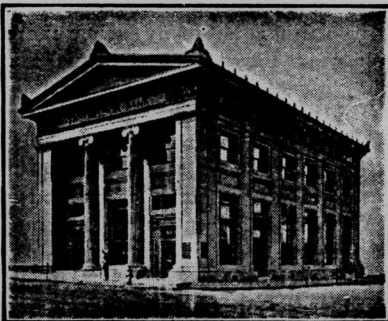
With no further business to come before the Auxiliary the meeting adjourned.

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The meeting on Sunday, February 16th, will be of the utmost importance to the membership. The scale committee will report the result of its negotiations with the Newspaper Publishers. Many meetings have been held, but at the time of going to press nothing definite has been agreed to. However, every member employed in the commercial branch should be present, as there will be submitted an offer of a contract providing for the introduction of the five-day week and also providing for a slightly increased wage. The proposal is embodied in an agreement covering a period of approximately four and one-half years. With matters of such importance to be passed upon, there should be 100 per cent attendance.

According to the latest available information, the following is a summary of the endorsement vote as reported by 170 local unions up to and including February 7th:

#### President:

Barker, Fred .....	33
Howard, Charles P.....	118
Milliken, Norman D'Arcy.....	..
Soderstrom, R. G.....	9

#### First Vice-President:

Adler, Maurice A.....	8
Braun, John .....	..
Perry, Theodore .....	118
Simpson, James .....	25

#### Second Vice-President:

Bentley, George .....	122
Brunskill, William E.....	2
Connelly, Thomas J.....	5
Scheu, Edward C.....	28

#### Secretary-Treasurer:

Buckley, John J.....	30
Dahm, James M.....	6
Randolph, Woodruff .....	127

According to Editor & Publisher of February 8th, Peoria Typographical Union No. 29 on January 30th signed a three-year contract with the Peoria Star and Peoria Journal-Transcript. The contract provides for a 46-hour week and an increase of 50c per week at the beginning of the second year and an additional 50c per week increase at the beginning of the third year. The scale at present is \$48.00 per week, and at the end of the contract will be \$49.00.

The Pacific Printer and Publisher quotes figures compiled by the research department of the California State Chamber of Commerce which show that in value of its products the printing and publishing industry ranks third in the industries of the state, being exceeded only by petroleum and canning and preserving. However, the table reveals the fact that, when compared upon the basis of value added by manufacturing (i.e., the value of the product less the cost of materials and wages) printing and publishing ranks first in the state.

In line with recent discussion about the necessity of keeping wages up in order to maintain purchasing power a leading authority on economics connected with Columbia University recently completed a labor survey which seems to answer the objection, so often advanced by reactionary busi-

ness interests, that present standards are too high and uneconomical. In the survey a well-known economist found that American labor does 3 to 7 times as much work as those in Europe. This authority is of the opinion that American workmen can be truthfully employed at a daily wage equal to the weekly wage in other countries because of the increased amount of work performed by the American. Taking into consideration the factor of mechanical appliances the ratio is still higher and is given as follows (the basis being the amount of work done per person): Giving China the basis of 1; in British India the ratio is 1¼; Russia 2½; Italy 2¾; Japan 3½; Poland 6; Holland 7; France 8¼; Australia 8½; Czechoslovakia 9½; Germany 12; Belgium 16; Great Britain 18; Canada 20; and the United States 30. The report concludes with the statement that, "The tendency seems to be to increase the production of the workmen through better machines, better materials, and, there, it is only plausible to suppose that the ratio will also increase and be followed by wage increases rather than decreases."

According to Editor & Publisher of February 1st, the negotiations between New York Typographical Union and the publishers of that city were to be resumed on February 3rd, and officials of the International Typographical Union had been called in to assist with the negotiations. From the same source it is learned that New York Photo-Engravers' Union had called a general meeting for Sunday, February 2nd, to vote on the question of calling a strike of its members in newspaper shops to enforce its demand for a five-day week.

J. A. (Jack) Snell of the Chronicle chapel received a letter from Arthur (Chappie) Floyd, dated at Cape Town, South Africa, December 21, 1929. Mr. Floyd, perhaps the most widely traveled member of the International Typographical Union, states that he has at last seen the Indian Ocean and Atlantic Ocean meet, at the Cape of Good Hope. "Chappie" immediately upon arrival at Cape Town went to work on the Cape Town Times. The wage for operators, night work, is \$44.00 for 40 hours. Most of the machines were imported from England, many being more than 30 years old. Mr. Floyd expects to make a complete round-Africa trip, returning to England by way of the Mediterranean. Floyd observes that American commercial enterprise is rapidly penetrating Africa and that a tremendous business is done in gasoline, oils, automobiles, motion picture films, etc. Gasoline is 55 cents a gallon, and Fords \$1000. The writer sends his regards to his many friends on the Pacific Coast.

Paul Pferdner, whom many will remember as a member of No. 21, was a San Francisco visitor recently. Mr. Pferdner is now a situation holder on the Chicago Tribune. From here Mr. Pferdner went to Los Angeles to visit a brother and will return to Chicago some time in March.

On January 18th the Old Time Printers' Association of Chicago commemorated the 224th anniversary of the birth of Benjamin Franklin with a banquet. Arthur Brisbane addressed a letter to the Association, expressing his regret at being unable to attend. Mr. Brisbane's letter read in part as follows: "The old-fashioned printers are the real newspaper men. Many a young reporter and editor has been saved from disaster in his early days by printers automatically correcting his bad copy and poor English. . . . The old printers in the New York Sun office, 45 years ago established as a friendly joke a fund. Each men that set up a

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piece of my copy was to drop in five cents. And after a certain length of time the total receipts were to go to anybody that came downstairs and killed me. . . . The days are gone when a man became a printer's devil, worked at the case and finally became editor. In these days a boy inherits a newspaper from his rich parents and attends to it if it isn't too much of a bore. . . . Will you please tell the printers that I wish I could be with them. I should have seen the faces of typical American citizens and of intelligent, thoughtful men." The officers of the Old Time Printers' Association are: Joseph H. Ewing, president; Frederick Dunham, vice-president; Clara J. Shepard, treasurer; Mark L. Crawford, secretary.

#### Chronicle Chapel Notes—By C. C.

The history class will again come to order for a brief review of the membership of this Chapel in 1883. We find that on Christmas eve of that year Russell Warren was foreman with Meldrum as his assistant. George F. Weeks was proofreader and W. A. Deane copyholder. In those days they had one ad man and the gent that handled that important duty was Albert Sparrow, although he was assisted by a gentleman named Gately in the busy periods. William Forbes handled the battery. George Crowell was commercial man, and the shipping news was handled by William L. Fulton. The typesetters and the slug numbers under which they worked were as follows: 1, Mark Dobin; 2, L. "Pop" Fish; 3, W. Haloman; 4, "Sol" Horres; 5, James Allen; 6, Charles Mansfield; 7, E. A. Woodhead; 8, J. O. "Dolly" Titlow; 9, E. C. Goodwin; 10, — Jones; 11, Charles Potter; 12, Charles Wright, chairman; 13, C. A. Presscott; 14, Walter Eagen; 15, William Armstrong, ring man; 16, Jones K. Hamill; 17, E. A. Lamkin; 18, Frank Mooney, the younger; 19, Joseph Beebe; 21, Walter "Stub" Crowell; 22, John J. Deane. The extras: 20, Andy Smith; 30, Ed O'Day; 28, Frank Sullivan; 31, Harry King. The last three were called "three-day extras." Those who were subs at that time were: Paul Simon, E. W. Thuman, Harry Granice, George C. Tucker, Matt Lindsey, John Cochell, R. C. Collins.

Jimmy Sullivan inquired of "Dinty" Gallagher if he had been to the auto show. "Dinty" replied that he had visited the show. Sullivan asked if he had heard Maurice Chevalier sing. "Dinty" had. Sullivan then asked if he had heard Chevalier sing the "Bubble Song" from "Lux." To this Gallagher replied, "Well, you know, Jimmy, I heard him sing, but I couldn't quite understand

him." Whoa, Hank, it is evident that Gallagher never studied music in Paree, so what does he know about "singin' in the bathtub."

Wonder what the natives of Truckee thought when Arthur "Swede" Nelson and John "Irish" Sullivan arrived in that fair city the other day on what the boys termed as a "snow vacation." These

fellows have never been where there was real honest-to-goodness snow, so we think they will have quite a time. Elmer Palmiter went along with the above pair.

Guy Swan just recently installed a radio receiving set in his home, and boy, what Guy doesn't (Continued on Page 9.)



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Workers must keep in mind the difference between wages and profits. The worker uses wages to buy food, clothing and shelter. The upkeep of his home, education of children, maintenance of family and uncertain provision for unemployment, sickness and old age are included. When a corporation figures profits, this does not mean total amount received, as with wages. The corporation first marks off all costs. These include liberal amounts for depreciation, replacement, interest, sinking funds, taxes, advertising, wages paid, princely salaries to officials and managers, lawyers' fees, welfare work, private detectives, all strike-breaking ventures, etc. After skilled accountants exhaust their ingenuity in disposing of income, the balance, generally speaking, is called "profits."

On the question whether a special or a general election would be more favorable to the adoption of a bond issue of sixty million dollars for the purchase by the municipality of the distributing systems of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company and the Western Power Company, the following figures have been presented with conclusions in regard to same, proving that a general election would be more favorable.

On four previous occasions, all special elections, the Spring Valley purchase bonds were defeated. It is true at the May 1 primary election there was more of a unanimity of opinion in favor of the bonds on the part of the various San Francisco organizations, but, nevertheless, the Presidential race of 1928 was a large factor in bringing out a big registration and also a big vote on May 1.

Because of the fact that a two-thirds vote is needed to pass bond issues, the following tabulation showing the results of the four unsuccessful Spring Valley submissions at special elections not coupled with some regular election day is interesting:

Date	Total Regis.	Total Vote	For	Against
June 14, 1910.....	91,026	35,015	22,068	11,722
April 20, 1915.....	162,812	73,583	39,951	33,455
March 8, 1921.....	209,850	74,191	43,073	30,992
June 14, 1927.....	208,238	73,381	41,463	28,611

At the 1928 presidential primary election, with which the Spring Valley and Hetch Hetchy bond proposals were combined, there was a vote of 116,842 out of a registration of 208,238. The vote "for" the bonds was 82,490 and "against" was 21,175. The margin above the two-thirds necessary to carry the \$41,000,000 bond issue was less than 4600.

## A Pioneer and Leader Gone

Among all the many great men produced by the San Francisco labor movement, Joseph F. Valentine was one of the most beloved and successful. His qualities as organizer and leader were remarkable. The beginnings of trade unionism as we know it in San Francisco owe much to him. His own union, Molders No. 164, and the Iron Trades Council, are the living monuments of his work. These organizations have had many great men, but none more careful and far-seeing in managing their affairs. He was the true pioneer organizer of mechanical trades and the introducer of system and co-operation in the working out of their plans. Thus he laid down the foundations for the working of councils of labor, by means of which the national unions are able to carry out their aims and achieve the edification of human ideals and the emancipation of labor.

He did not falter in the face of adversity or lose heart in contest with almost unsurmountable difficulties. Always zealous and persistent, he snatched victory out of the jaws of defeat and remained active and hopeful in the face of seeming impossibility.

His spirit has permeated the membership of San Francisco Molders' Union and made that organization the invincible force that it has proved itself to be, and shown brilliantly in its most recent fight against the American Plan. Such a spirit never says die or quit. On its wings future achievements perch their ideals and will bring to the lives of millions of toilers the blessing of an unquenchable aim.

At the last regular meeting of the San Francisco Labor Council, Brother Valentine's old comrades in former days, when he lived among us here and led them in their many struggles in the iron trades, rose one after the other and eloquently recited stories of those times when Valentine guided them with his counsels. Indeed, he was a noble worker in the noble work to which he devoted his life.

The following resolution was adopted and copies ordered transmitted to his bereaved widow, Molders' Union No. 164, International Molders' Union of North America and to the Executive Council of the American Federation of Labor. It reads:

"WHEREAS, The American labor movement, through the death of Joseph F. Valentine, General President of International Molders' Union of North America from 1903 to 1925, and Vice-President of the American Federation of Labor from 1905 to 1925, has suffered the loss of a great leader and untiring upbuilder of the cause and principles of organized labor; and

"WHEREAS, He was a man of uncommon mold and spirit, full of energy, hardy perseverance and human sympathy, experience and judgment. In 1886 he joined Molders' Union No. 164 of San Francisco, that great school of ceaseless activity and battle out of which have come so many able captains and chiefs in the movement for the founding of a better civilization and progress of humanity. He rose from post to post and was called upon to take up the greater tasks of responsibility that follow leadership in national affairs; and there he performed his work without regard to personal health or comfort, gave all that was in him to give, and made a record for energy and careful management of trade union affairs second to that of no other man in organized labor, for which all in the movement owe him a debt of loving respect and emulation; therefore, be it

"RESOLVED, By the San Francisco Labor Council, in regular session assembled this 7th day of February, 1930, that we deeply mourn the loss of Joseph F. Valentine; that we honor his memory, and tender to his bereaved widow, his many friends, the members of his trade and the organized labor movement in general our deepest sympathies and condolences."



**RUN O' THE HOOK.**

(Continued from Page 7.)

get in the way of long distance reception is nobody's business. Swan is now able to bring in the far away stations with the best of them in the shop.

Harry Ball had quite a tussle with one Mr. Pneumonia a couple of weeks back, but licked the gent to a frazzle and has returned to his job of making classified pages appear as such.

The regular monthly chapel meeting was held Tuesday afternoon and the usual routine business was transacted. The meeting adjourned out of respect to the late Henry Coxon.

**News Chapel Notes—By L. L. Heagney.**

"I want to question the story Lou Schmidt promotes regarding his origin," protests Harry Beach. "I greatly doubt that any South African Dutchman ever was blessed with such ravishing blond beauty. But," he adds, "I've seen lots of Polocks with 'it'."

Trying to set a paper, recently enlarged, with 19 machines, can and has been done. Not always was it satisfactory, however, so Monday two new Mergs, model 25s, were added to the bank. In addition, more are in prospect if persistent rumors materialize into something tangible. A couple of machine situations should eventuate; also another proofreader and a makeup, maybe.

Jibes about the "intelligent compositor" always are in order, more or less deserved perhaps, but the Mergenthaler Company furnished an example of something or other that "fades" them all. The new linos were unloaded in the basement and a man sent upstairs to open a trapdoor in the composing room floor. He seized a ring and pulled, and kept on pulling, but that door simply would not open. Why not? Heh, heh, heh, he was standing on it, of course.

Well, the secret's out, so pipe down; protest no more, boys, all we can do is hang our heads to hide a blush of virginal modesty. Why cavil as to who disseminated the hitherto closely guarded secret that The News maintains a composing room so efficient it tempts other plants to that sincerest form of flattery—imitation? Jack Malloy, in charge of a Stockton paper, and Harry Kelton, machinist on the same sheet, accompanied by Harry Eichanbaugh and Otis Wilson, Intertype representatives, viewed the scenes of this chapel's activities recently from every angle. By the way, Messrs. Wilson and Kelton were agreeably surprised to find Jimmy Donnelly slaving here. Naturally conversation veered to Butte, where the trio stuck type for a scandal sheet some 25 years ago.

"What happened to your face, Clarence?" demanded Harry Crotty.

"Had a little argument with a fellow about driving in traffic," replied Mr. Davy.

"Why didn't you call a cop?"

"He was a cop."

**MAILER NOTES.**

By Leroy C. Smith.

Sunday, February 16th, will be union meeting day. Time and place, 1 p. m., Mechanics' Hall, Labor Temple. Endorsements of candidates for I. T. U. offices will be had at this meeting.

Members should not overlook reading President Howard's letter and the mailer articles in the February Journal. President Howard's letter is timely. The Boston, Washington, D. C., Milwaukee, San Francisco, articles and also the Los Angeles article from the lucid and facile pen of Robert C. Emerson are convincing proof that the only protection that the working mailer can have is with his union going along under the protection of the International Typographical Union only. Facts and logic have been abundantly produced proving beyond all shadow of any possible doubt that the M. T. D. U. is, and always has been, a mailer liability and not an asset, and also a source of fric-

tion to the I. T. U. The squabble now going on between the two factions of the M. T. D. U. hierarchy for election to office, and the "emoluments thereunto appertaining," indicates that they look upon the organization as something created and existing solely for their personal benefit. The constitution of the I. T. U. says nothing about mailer members being subject to suspension because of failure to continue affiliation with the M. T. D. U. The lavish expenditure of funds entrusted to the care of the M. T. D. U. hierarchy, with no results gained, doubtless led them to think the pockets of the members were an inexhaustible well they could dip at will. But opposition to any further assessments is becoming stronger. The powers that be, knowing this, have dropped the idea of an assessment, even though the M. T. D. U. is practically flat broke. And in their dilemma they are trying to solve the problem by selecting a "new" ticket from the same "old party" in power, without program or policy, simply changing names, which means nothing.

The New York mailers have decided to give another dinner and "blow-out" to another of their members, Paul Rowan, at the Hotel Astor, March 23rd. As formerly, the No. 6 members will probably be "shaken down" for a \$12.50 per plate dinner, and presents of diamond rings and a purse to the honored "guest of the evening." It is not stated whether or not President Smith will be "among those present," but we presume he will have a seat at the "festal board." For, why not? Under date of February 9, 1928, on a letter head of the New York Mailers' Union, the following was sent out: "Mailers' Union No. 6 takes great pride in tendering this banquet to President C. N. Smith, as he has been a member of Mailers' Union No. 6 for more than 30 years and the members of this organization feel highly honored that he has been chosen for this great length of time to lead the destinies of the mailing craft on the North American continent. The countless friends that he has made during the 15 years of his activities as our president have all good reason to honor him and to those who are not familiar with President Smith we can unreservedly say that his fearlessness, sincerity and fair dealing are universally known. Fraternally yours, John McArdle, chairman, Charles A. Gallagher, Daniel J. McCullough, John McCarthy." (At this banquet President Smith was presented with a diamond ring and a purse of \$2500.) All of the signers of the above circular are also signers of the recent McArdle campaign circular, with the exception of John McArdle, and of course he could not very well sign his own endorsement papers. Great changes

take place in the "ups and downs" of the M. T. D. U. government in three years' time.

We learn that practically every Progressive was indorsed at the February union meeting of No. 9. President Howard received the highest vote for president, but failed to receive a majority of the votes cast. The vote was 47 to 5 for McArdle over Smith. . . . Broad smiles and quiet chuckles are going the rounds among members, especially in the "outlaw" locals, over the recent unexpected visit of the Secretary-Treasurer of the M. T. D. U., Roberts, to "Jimmy" Moran, in Washington, D. C. Roberts, it is stated, coming out "second best" in the Moran-Roberts' discussion of the mailer "war" in its various ramifications. Roberts assigns as a reason for there being no financial statement published in the Journal monthly, that "he, Roberts, is but one member of the M. T. D. U. executive council." That's "logic," especially coming from Roberts, who is a practising attorney at law.

A high tariff is proposed and levied on foreign-made manufactured goods on the theory that our laborers should not be compelled to compete with the cheap labor in the factories abroad. The same principle and reasoning that exclude or tax foreign goods will support the theory that foreign laborers should not be allowed to enter our country in competition to American labor, and especially is this true when there is so much unemployment as there is now.

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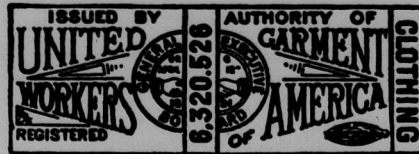
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#### Synopsis of the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of February 7, 1930.

Meeting called to order at 8:15 p. m. by President Wm. P. Stanton.

Roll Call of Officers—All present.

Reading Minutes—Minutes of the previous meeting approved as printed in the Labor Clarion.

Credentials—From Laundry Workers No. 26—M. A. Peterson, Anna J. Brown, Charles Childs, Charles Lineger, Nellie Victor, Margie Hackett, Charles Keegan, Dora Jaymot, Charles Hawley, John O'Keefe. Bakers No. 24—Paul Guderly, Gus Becker, Andrew Bauer, Charles Bray, Adolph Brenner, Fred Schierbaum, Lawrence Lawrie. Delegates seated.

Communications—Filed—From Felton Taylor, stating that he will be glad to address the Council on February 28th. From R. A. French, stating he handles only union-made shoes. From the Retail Clerks' Union No. 432, requesting delegates when making purchases in furnishing goods and hat stores, to ask the clerks for their union button. From Dr. Wm. C. Hassler, with reference to the semi-monthly pay day for employees of the Health Department. From Tobacco Workers' Union, with reference to the Axton-Fisher Tobacco Company, and requesting all union men to purchase Clown cigarettes. From Photo-Engravers' Union, with reference to the policemen's ball, and the assistance rendered the Photo-Engravers by the committee handling said affair. From the American Federation of Labor, with reference to unemployment. From Mr. Paul Stephens, manager W. C. F. L. of Chicago, and its free course in radio and television; also forwarding a liberal supply of inquiry cards which can be found at this office, Room 205, 2940 16th St. From Sister Laura Molleda, declining the nomination for Executive Committee.

Referred to Labor Clarion—From Mr. Leonard Levy, purchaser of supplies for San Francisco, inclosing list of commodities manufactured or produced in San Francisco.

Request Complied With—From the American Federation of Labor, with reference to the unfair attitude of the General Cigar Company of New York City, and requesting Council to write said firm and try to prevail upon them to assume an attitude toward their employees more in keeping with the advanced thought of this period.

Resolutions—Were presented by Delegate Mull (Electrical Workers No. 151) with reference to the unsupervised installation of gas appliances, and requesting the Board of Supervisors, Board of

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Health and the Fire Marshal to take such steps as may be necessary to protect the safety of the community. On motion the resolutions were adopted.

**Resolution reads:**

Whereas, The recent fatalities resulting from the unsupervised sale and installation of gas appliances have called the attention of the public to the ever-present hazard from the risk of explosion and consequent conflagration, not only to those directly using such appliances but to the entire community as well; and

Whereas, The unregulated and unsupervised sale and installation of electrical appliances also constitutes a grave menace to life and property in our community, the seriousness of which is fully recognized by those who are charged with fire prevention and the elimination of fire hazards; and

Whereas, The Pacific Gas & Electric Company and the Great Western Power and Light Company, in fostering such unregulated and unsupervised sale of such gas and electric appliances, menace the safety of lives and property of the entire community; therefore be it

Resolved, That the San Francisco Labor Council herewith records its protest against this ever-present menace; and be it further

Resolved, That we call upon the Board of Supervisors, the Board of Health, the Fire Marshal, and the other duly constituted public authorities, to take all such steps as may be necessary to protect the safety of the community by means of legislation and inspection; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of these resolutions be forwarded to the Board of Supervisors, the Board of Health, the Fire Marshal, the Pacific Gas & Electric Company, the Great Western Power & Light Company, and the Press.

Resolutions were presented by Delegate Dietrich (Musicians No. 6) requesting the Council to endorse the work of the Music Defense League, and the efforts of that body to prevent the substitution of "canned" music for live musicians in the theatres and other places of amusement

throughout the United States. On motion the resolutions were adopted.

**Resolution reads:**

Whereas, There is a swiftly growing and alarming tendency on the part of theatre owners to substitute "canned" music for live orchestras in all parts of the country; and

Whereas, The American Federation of Musicians with the aid of the Music Defense League has begun a national campaign of education of the people of this country to arouse public opinion against the substitution of this cheap and inadequate music for the "live" music which has been used heretofore; and

Whereas, From the standpoint of art and development of the appreciation of music among the young people of this country, which is a most important cultural project, the use of "canned" music will tend to cheapen and defeat all the efforts of teachers and musicians to foster the finest in music; and

Whereas, The elimination of thousands of live players from the orchestras of the country has a wide economic significance, not only to the musicians themselves, and to all of the music teachers and young people studying music, in and out of the schools, but to the general merchandising world, and those interested in the manufacture or

sale of every kind of commodity, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That this body is in full sympathy with the work of the Music Defense League, and endorses in every way the efforts of that body to prevent the substitution of "canned" music for live

**WE DON'T PATRONIZE LIST**

The concerns named below are on the "We Don't Patronize List" of the San Francisco Labor Council. Members of Labor Unions and sympathizers are requested to cut this out and post it.

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Alaska Fishermen—Meet Fridays during February, March, April and October, 49 Clay.  
Asphalt Workers—Meet 2nd and 4th Mondays at Labor Temple.  
Amalgamated Sheet Metal Workers No. 104—Meet Fridays, 224 Guerrero.  
Auto Mechanics No. 1305—Meet Wednesdays, 9 p. m., 108 Valencia.  
Baggage Messengers—Meet 2nd Monday, 60 Market. Sec., Robt. Berry, 1059 56th St., Oakland.  
Bakers No. 24—Meet 1st and 3rd Saturdays, at Labor Temple.  
Bakery Wagon Drivers—Meet 2nd and 4th Saturdays, 112 Valencia.  
Barbers No. 148—Meet 1st and 3rd Mondays, 112 Valencia.  
Bill Posters No. 41—Meet 4th Monday, Shakespear Hall, 15th and Mission.  
Blacksmiths and Helpers—Meet 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, Labor Temple.  
Bollermakers No. 6—Meet 2nd and 4th Thursdays, Labor Temple.  
Bookbinders—Office, Room 804, 693 Mission. Meet 3rd Friday, Labor Temple.  
Bottlers No. 293—Meet 3rd Tues., Labor Temple.  
Boxmakers and Sawyers—Meet 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, Labor Temple.  
Brewery Drivers—Meet 3rd Friday, Labor Temple.  
Brewery Workmen No. 7—Meet 3rd Thursday, Labor Temple.  
Bridge and Structural Iron Workers No. 377—Meet 1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 200 Guerrero.  
Butchers No. 115—Meet Wednesday, Labor Temple.  
Butchers No. 508—Meet 1st and 3rd Fridays at Masonic Hall, Third and Newcomb streets.  
Carpenters No. 483—Meets Mondays, 112 Valencia.  
Cemetery Workers—Meets 1st and 3rd Saturdays, Labor Temple.  
Cigarmakers—Meet 1st and 3rd Thursdays, 143 Alblon.  
Chauffeurs—Meet 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 112 Valencia.  
Cleaners and Dyers—Meet 2nd Thursday at Labor Temple.  
Cleaners, Dyers and Pressers No. 17960—Office, 710 Grant Building.

Commercial Telegraphers—420 Clunie Bldg.  
Capmakers No. 9—Jos. Shaw, 3220 16th, Oakland, Calif.  
Cooks No. 44—Meet 1st and 4th Thursdays, 8:30 p. m.; 3rd Thursday at 2:30 p. m., 1164 Market.  
Coopers No. 65—Meet 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at Labor Temple.  
Cracker Bakers No. 125—Meet 3rd Monday, Labor Temple.  
Cracker Packers' Auxiliary—Meet 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, Labor Temple.  
Dredgemen 45-C—268 Market.  
Elevator Constructors No. 8—Meet 1st and 3rd Fridays, 200 Guerrero.  
Elevator Operators and Starters No. 87—Meet 1st Thursday, 200 Guerrero.  
Electrical Workers No. 151—Meet 2nd and 4th Thursdays, 112 Valencia.  
Electrical Workers No. 6—Meet Wednesdays, 200 Guerrero.  
Electrical Workers No. 537, Cable Splicers.  
Egg Inspectors—Meet 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at Labor Temple.  
Federal Employees No. 1—Office, 746 Pacific Bldg Meet 1st Tuesday, 414 Mason.  
Federation of Teachers No. 61—Meet 2nd Monday, Room 227, City Hall.  
Ferryboatmen's Union—Ferry Building.  
Garage Employees—Meet 2nd Tuesdays, at Labor Temple.  
Garment Cutters No. 45—Meet 2nd and 4th Fridays, Labor Temple.  
Garment Workers No. 131—Meet 1st Thursday at 515 p. m.; 3rd Thursday, 8 p. m., Labor Temple.  
Glove Workers—Meet 1st Tuesday, Labor Temple.  
Grocery Clerks—Meet 1st Thursday, Labor Temple.  
Hatters No. 23—Sec., Jonas Grace, 178 Flood Av.  
Hoisting Engineers No. 59—Meet Mondays, at 200 Guerrero.  
Ice Drivers—Sec., V. Hummel, 3532 Anza. Meet 2nd and 4th Tuesdays, Labor Temple.  
Iron, Steel and Tin Workers—Meet 4th Thursday evenings at Metropolitan Hall, South San Francisco.  
Janitors No. 9—Meet 1st and 3rd Thursdays, at Labor Temple.  
Ladies' Garment Workers No. 8—Room 842, Pacific Building.  
Longshoremen's Association—Sec., Emil G. Stein, 85 Clay.  
Laundry Drivers—Meet 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, Labor Temple.  
Laundry Workers No. 26—Meet 1st and 3rd Mondays, Labor Temple.  
Letter Carriers—Sec., Thomas P. Tierney, 635a Castro. Meets 1st Saturday, 414 Mason.

Lithographers No. 17—Meet 2nd and 4th Thursday 973 Golden Gate avenue.  
Machinists No. 68—Meet Wednesdays, at Labor Temple.  
Mailers No. 18—Meet 3rd Sundays, Labor Temple. Secretary, A. F. O'Neill, 771 17th avenue.  
Marine Diesel Engineers No. 49—Ferry Building.  
Material Teamsters No. 216—Meet Wednesdays, 200 Guerrero.  
Masters, Mates and Pilots No. 40—H. F. Strother, Ferry Bldg.  
Masters, Mates and Pilots No. 89—Ferry Building.  
Metal Polishers—Meet 1st and 3rd Thursdays, Labor Temple.  
Milk Wagon Drivers—Meet Wednesdays, at Labor Temple.  
Miscellaneous Employees No. 110—Meet 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 131 Eighth.  
Molders No. 164—Meet Tuesdays, Labor Temple.  
Molders' Auxiliary—Meet 1st Friday.  
Moving Picture Operators—Meet 2nd and 4th Thursdays, 230 Jones.  
Municipal Sewermen No. 534—200 Guerrero.  
Musicians No. 6—Meet 2nd Thursday; Executive Board, Tuesday, 230 Jones.  
Office Employees—Meet 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, Labor Temple.  
Ornamental Plasterers No. 460—Meet 2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 200 Guerrero.  
Painters No. 19—Meet Mondays, 200 Guerrero.  
Patternmakers—Meet 2nd and 4th Fridays, Labor Temple.  
Pavers—Meet 1st Monday, Labor Temple.  
Paste Makers No. 10567—Meet last Saturday of month, 441 Broadway.  
Photo Engravers—Meet 1st Friday, 150 Golden Gate avenue.  
Post Office Clerks—Meet 4th Thursday, at Labor Temple.  
Post Office Laborers—Sec., W. T. Colbert, 278 Lexington.  
Printing Pressmen—Office, 231 Stevenson. Meets 2nd Monday, Labor Temple.  
Professional Embalmers—Sec., Geo. Monahan, 765 Page.  
Retail Cleaners and Dyers No. 18021—Moe Davis, 862 Third.  
Retail Shoe Salesmen No. 410—Meet 2nd Tuesdays, 273 Golden Gate avenue.  
Retail Delivery Drivers—Meet 2nd and 4th Thursdays, Labor Temple.  
Sailors' Union of the Pacific—Meets Mondays, 59 Clay.

Sailmakers—Sec., Horace Kelly, 2558 29th Ave. Meet 1st Thursday, Labor Temple.  
Sausage Makers—Meet 2nd and 4th Thursdays, 3953 Sixteenth.  
Shipyard Laborers—Meet 1st Friday, Labor Temple.  
Stationary Engineers No. 64—Meet 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 200 Guerrero.  
Stationary Firemen—Meet 1st Tuesdays, at Labor Temple.  
Steam Fitters No. 590—Meet 1st and 3rd Wednesdays, Labor Temple.  
Steam Shovel Men No. 45—Meet 1st Saturday, 268 Market.  
Stereotypers and Electrotypers—Meet 3rd Sunday, Labor Temple.  
Stove Mounters No. 61—Sec., Manuel De Salles, R. F. D. 7, Niles, Calif.  
Stove Mounters No. 62—J. J. Kerlin, 1534 29th Ave., Oakland, Calif.  
Street Carmen, Division 518—Meet 2nd and 4th Thursdays, Labor Temple.  
Tailors No. 80—Office, Room 416, 163 Sutter. Meet 2nd and 4th Mondays, Labor Temple.  
Teamsters No. 85—Meet Thursdays, 536 Bryant.  
Technical Engineers No. 11—John Coughlan, 70 Lennox Way.  
Theatrical Stage Employees—Meet 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 230 Jones.  
Theatrical Wardrobe Attendants—Sec., Mrs. Miller, 1640 Lyon.  
Trackmen—Meet 4th Tuesday, Labor Temple.  
Trade Union Promotional League (Label Section)—Meets 1st and 3rd Wednesdays, Labor Temple. Market 7560.  
Tunnel and Aqueduct Workers—P. O. Box 868, Livermore, Calif.  
Typographical No. 21—Office, 16 First St. Meet 3rd Sunday, Labor Temple.  
United Laborers No. 1—Meet Tuesdays, at 200 Guerrero.  
Upholsterers No. 28—Meet 2nd and 4th Tuesdays, Labor Temple.  
Watchmen No. 15689—Sec., E. Counihan, 106 Bosworth.  
Waiters No. 30—Meet Wednesdays, 3 p. m., 1256 Market.  
Waitresses No. 48—Meet 1st and 3rd Wednesdays at 8 p. m.; 2nd and last Wednesdays, 3 p. m., at 1171 Market.  
Water Workers—Sec., Thomas Dowd, 214 27th St. Meet 1st Monday, Labor Temple.  
Web Pressmen—Meet 4th Sunday, Labor Temple.  
Window Cleaners No. 44—Meet 1st Thursdays, at 7:30 p. m., Labor Temple.



musicians in the theatres and other places of amusement throughout the United States.

**Report of Executive Committee**—In the matter of the complaint of the manager of the Wigwam Theatre Company against the action of the Musicians Union in placing a ban on the New Rialto, formerly the Wigwam, your committee recommends that the matter be held in abeyance, as there exists a possibility of adjustment and that both parties let matters remain in status quo, for the purpose of adjusting their differences. Your committee recommends that a committee of three be appointed to secure a suitable gift to be given our retiring president, Wm. P. Stanton. Report concurred in. The chair appointed Delegates Murphy, Noriega and Armstrong.

**Reports of Unions**—Grocery Clerks—Reported the Salad Kitchen, 2222 Mission street, as unfair to their organization. Waitresses No. 48—Donated \$10.00 to Cleaners and Dyers' Defense Fund, and \$10.00 to organizing campaign in the South. Waiters—Foster Lunches are still unfair; do not patronize them. Theatrical Federation—Castro Royal, Alhambra and Embassy are still unfair; do not patronize them. Miscellaneous Employees—Reported that the Rughwerd Catering Company is unfair; Huber Catering Company are using union help. Barbers—Donated \$20.00 to Cleaners and Dyers' Defense Fund; Mission Hotel barber shop is unfair. Longshoremen—Donated \$100.00 to organizing campaign in the South; \$25.00 to Cleaners and Dyers' Defense Fund. Molders No. 164—Reported the death of former International President Joseph Valentine. Water Workers—Thanked the Council for assistance in organizing employees of Spring Valley Water Co.

**Installation of Officers**—Delegate Daniel C. Murphy installed the officers for the ensuing year.

Moved that when we adjourn we do so out of respect to the memory of Brother Joseph Valentine, and that the Secretary be instructed to draft suitable resolutions, send a floral piece, and the officers of the Council attend the funeral. Motion carried.

**Receipts**—\$557.70. **Expenses**—\$249.55.

Council adjourned at 10 P. M. out of respect to the memory of Bro. Joseph Valentine of the Molders' Union.

Faternally submitted,  
JOHN A. O'CONNELL, Secretary.

#### CHARITY ON INCREASE.

Public and private charities in 75 representative cities spent \$3,426,000 to aid 145,350 families during December, the Russell Sage Foundation from New York reports. This is an increase of 23 per cent over the previous month. Extensive unemployment and severe cold weather are blamed. The Foundation indicates that December relief probably was larger than for any previous month. Among the cities showing greatest relief expenditures were the industrial cities of Detroit, Akron and St. Louis.

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#### JOSEPH F. VALENTINE DEAD.

Last Friday evening at 7 o'clock the sad news came to labor headquarters in this city that Joseph F. Valentine, for more than twenty-five years president of the International Molders' Union, had passed away at his residence here, where he had been confined by illness during the past two years.

Valentine came to San Francisco from Baltimore in the early seventies and at once became an active spirit in the organization of the foundries of the bay region. In these days trade unionism was not popular and young Valentine would go out during the noon hour and while nibbling a sandwich would talk unionism to the molders and induce them to get together in an effort to better conditions in the foundries, and he was always very successful.

At the convention of the International Molders' Union in 1901 Valentine was elected vice-president, and president in 1903, and he found himself confronted with most difficult situations in every section of the country, but his training and experience had been such that he was able to surmount every obstacle, and in the course of the years he placed the organization in the forefront of American trade unions. His life in the position and as a vice-president of the American Federation of Labor, was so strenuous that his health began to break about ten years ago, and it became necessary for him to retire in 1924, when his organization, out of gratitude for the years of service he had rendered, voted to place him on half pay for the balance of his life. He was highly regarded and respected throughout the entire labor movement and his death will bring sorrow to thousands of hearts, both in this country and in Europe, where his sterling worth and splendid abilities were appreciated.

During the past three years he had been failing rapidly, so that his death was not unexpected. He was 72 years of age at the time of death. The funeral was held on Monday, February 10th, from the Church of Notre Dame des Victoires, under the auspices of the local Molders' Union, and interment was in Holy Cross Cemetery.

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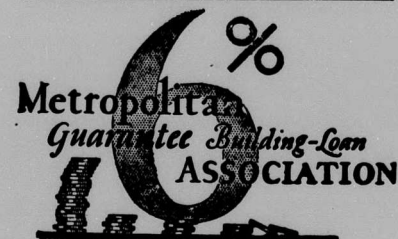


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